

Suicide Deaths Among San Diego County Residents, 2004-2008

By Region, Race/Ethnicity, and Age Group

	2004		2005		2006		2007		2008	
	Deaths	Adjusted Rate ^{a,b}	Deaths	Adjusted Rate ^{a,b}	Deaths	Adjusted Rate ^{a,b}	Deaths	Adjusted Rate ^{a,b}	Deaths	Adjusted Rate ^{a,b}
San Diego County^c	311	10.5	297	10.0	290	9.5	358	11.6	359	11.3
Region										
N. Coastal	46	8.9	46	9.1	44	8.4	59	11.0	70	12.4
N. Central	54	8.6	62	10.2	59	9.5	60	9.5	71	10.9
Central	56	12.6	55	12.6	43	9.4	56	12.1	55	11.7
South	30	7.3	39	9.3	26	6.2	31	7.1	41	9.5
East	59	13.1	48	10.4	55	11.8	78	16.2	66	13.8
N. Inland	60	11.2	40	7.4	54	9.4	61	10.6	49	8.5
Gender										
Male	226	16.0	217	15.3	229	15.8	279	18.6	273	17.6
Female	85	5.6	79	5.2	61	3.9	79	5.0	86	5.5
Race/Ethnicity^d										
Hispanic	29	3.6	28	3.5	33	3.9	40	4.7	46	5.4
White	245	14.2	234	13.3	226	12.7	276	15.7	282	15.9
Black	14	*	12	*	7	*	10	*	8	*
Asian	16	*	16	*	18	*	22	*	16	*
Other	7	*	6	*	6	*	10	*	7	*
Age Groups	Deaths	Age-specific rate ^a	Deaths	Age-specific rate ^a	Deaths	Age-specific rate ^a	Deaths	Age-specific rate ^a	Deaths	Age-specific rate ^a
0-4	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
5-14	2	*	2	*	1	*	0	*	1	*
15-24	34	7.3	25	5.4	41	8.7	37	7.8	29	6.0
25-34	50	10.7	33	7.1	35	7.7	47	10.5	47	10.4
35-44	58	12.5	60	13.0	40	8.7	69	15.1	73	16.0
45-54	68	17.0	75	18.3	53	12.6	81	18.8	84	19.1
55-64	38	15.0	34	12.7	45	16.0	58	19.7	69	22.4
65-74	25	15.5	28	17.2	27	16.5	24	14.4	22	12.7
75-84	24	19.4	25	20.1	28	22.4	29	23.2	19	15.3
85+	12	26.5	14	28.9	20	38.5	13	23.5	15	25.5

Suicide Deaths include ICD-10 codes U03, X60-X84, Y87.0 as underlying cause of death

* Rate not calculated for fewer than 20 deaths in this category.

^a All rates are per 100,000 population. Rates may vary slightly from previously published data due to updated population figures.

^b Adjusted rates are adjusted to 2000 U.S. Standard Population.

^c Deaths with unknown age, region or race/ethnicity are reflected in the county total, but not in the individual categories. Category sums may not add up to county total.

^d Race/ethnicity data may be different from previously published data due to modifications in the collecting, reporting and coding of racial and ethnic status.

Source: California Department of Public Health, Center for Health Statistics, Office of Health Information and Research, Death Statistical Master Files;

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